

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE
FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1939.

A total of 43 attacks with 19 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 46 attacks with 29 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1938 and 1937 were 61 attacks with 49 deaths and 90 attacks with 41 deaths, respectively.

A total of 5 attacks with 1 death from Small-pox was reported from Mysore City.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 134 (29 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 32.0 (25.1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 24.2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Malaria, 1 under Typhoid, 3 under other Fevers, 7 under Phthisis, 24 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 98 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 99 deaths (9 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 35.1 (31.9 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 28.0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 1, Malaria 2, Broncho-Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 6, Phthisis 8, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 12, and all other causes 67. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 57 (9 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 23.4 (19.7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 23.8 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Small-pox 2, Malaria 2, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 7, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 4, and all other causes 41. The reported mortality was low.

There were 53 deaths (8 in hospitals), from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 33.2 (28.2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 24.9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Pneumonia, 5 under other Fevers, 3 under Phthisis and 43 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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MYSORE CIVIL VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

LIST OF CATTLE FAIRS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1939.

Notification No. C. S. Per. 25—39-40, dated 28th November 1939.

The authorities responsible for organising the Cattle Fairs are requested to kindly empanel a committee for regulating the conduct of the Fair *Vide* G. O. No. L. 1777—L.B. 65-33-1, No. L. 1778—L. B. 65-33-2 and No. L. 1779—L. B. 65-33-3, dated 5th September 1933, and intimating the personnel of the Committee so appointed. Further they are requested to kindly nominate the Senior Veterinary Officer present in the Fair as their representative to see that the Rules are efficiently carried out. Accommodation for Veterinary Officers attending the Cattle Fairs may kindly be provided.

No.	Taluk	Name of the place	From	To	Arrangements regarding temporary Veterinary Dispensary
1	Arakalgud	Ramanathpur	17th December 1939.	20th December 1939.	Veterinary Inspector, Arakalgud to be in charge and Veterinary Inspector, Saligrama, to assist.
2	Tarikere	Town	Not stated	Veterinary Inspector, Tarikere, to be in charge.
3	Arsikere	Malekal Thirupathi	18th December 1939.	23rd December 1939.	Veterinary Inspector, Arsikere, to make arrangements and to be in charge.

N.B.—Veterinary Inspectors are requested to kindly ascertain the commencement and duration of Fair at Taluk Offices wherever such information is not indicated in this list and furnish the information to this office besides notifying also any alterations in the date of Cattle Fairs.

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